Mountain Weather Forecast

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 21 Jun 2024 until 23:59 on Saturday 22 Jun 2024

Forecast Issued on Thursday 20 Jun 2024 at 13:12

Confidence: High confidence for a spell of settled and increasingly warm and humid weather early next week. Lower confidence in regards to rainfall amounts Friday night into Saturday morning.

Headline for Friday 21 Jun 2024: Largely dry at first. Becoming increasingly cloudy, with outbreaks of rain, locally heavy at times, arriving by the evening.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 21 Jun 2024

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Partly cloudy (night)	Cloudy	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Light rain showers	Light rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	10%	10%	10%	40%	60%	60%

Forecast for Friday 21 Jun 2024

Weather: Dry with clear spells overnight. Becoming increasingly cloudy by dawn, with low cloud on summits, although it should remain largely dry, with some bright or sunny spells developing during the daylight hours. However, a band of rain, locally heavy, will arrive from the west by late-afternoon and into the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 95% at first, reducing to 40% by dawn. Improving to 90% during the day, before reducing to 20% in rain later in the day.

Low cloud and visibility: Cloud bases above the summit at first, lowering to 500m by dawn. Cloud lifting to above the summits mid-morning and into the afternoon. Lowering to 400-500m in the rain by the evening.

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Forecast for Friday 21 Jun 2024

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	7/11 SW	9/13 SW	13/18 SW	17/23 SW	20/29 SW	20/29 SW	19/27 SW	14/19 S	13/18 SW
300	5/9 SW	5/11 SW	8/15 SW	11/21 SW	14/26 SW	13/25 SW	12/23 SW	8/17 SW	9/17 SW
Valley	5/9 SW	4/9 W	6/14 SW	10/20 SW	12/25 SW	12/24 SW	11/23 SW	8/17 SW	7/16 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	11/9	10/7	10/7	11/8	11/7	11/8	10/7	10/7	10/8
300	11/10	10/9	12/10	14/12	14/12	14/12	13/10	12/10	12/11
Valley	12/11	10/10	12/11	14/13	15/13	14/12	13/11	12/11	12/11
Freezing Level*	2600m	2300m	2200m	2600m	2600m	2000m	2600m	2600m	2400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Despite the cloudier skies, UV levels will remain Moderate, therefore extra protection is advisable for spending any length of time outdoors in any bright or sunny spells. Becoming wet in the evening, with waterproof clothing also advisable for later in the day.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Wed 19 Jun 2024	0mm	0mm	0mm

Forecast for Saturday 22 Jun 2024

Weather: A band of cloud and outbreaks of rain, locally heavy, will move eastwards overnight, weakening in the process, before gradually clearing during the early hours. However, it will remain rather damp and cloudy, with low cloud and patchy light drizzle at times on the summits early morning. Becoming largely dry with the cloud gradually breaking up to give some bright or occasional sunny spells, albeit rather hazy, during the afternoon. Low cloud and patchy drizzle at times, especially on the summits, into the evening period.

Maximum wind: Westerly 10-15mph with gusts 20-25mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 30% throughout.

Low cloud and visibility: Cloud bases down to 400-500m first thing, lifting above the summits by mid-morning and into the afternoon. Lowering to 400-500m by the evening, with patchy light rain and drizzle. Visibility will be poor or very poor in low cloud and drizzle early and late in the day, but generally very good during the daylight hours.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 12 Celsius, becoming Plus 17 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 07 Celsius, becoming Plus 12 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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